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CB	A	Exhibit A - Chantler & Chantler brochure showing Zipper Sleeve and Florasheet, Date unknown, 2 pages.	
CB	B	Exhibit B - Copy of photograph of Zipper Sleeve.	
CB	C	Exhibit C - Guardsman Twin-Wrap Florist Paper, Hampshire Paper Company, brochure - one page, marketed around January 1992 to the best of Applicant's knowledge. The	
CB		brochure shows a roll of florist wrapping paper interwound with florist wax paper. Neither sheet included an adhesive for securing the wrap in a wrapped position about	
CB		the flowers, and the sheets were not connected.	
CB	D	Exhibit D - "The Simple Solution For Those Peak Volume Periods", Highland Supply Speed Cover Brochure, 1989, 6 pages.	
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